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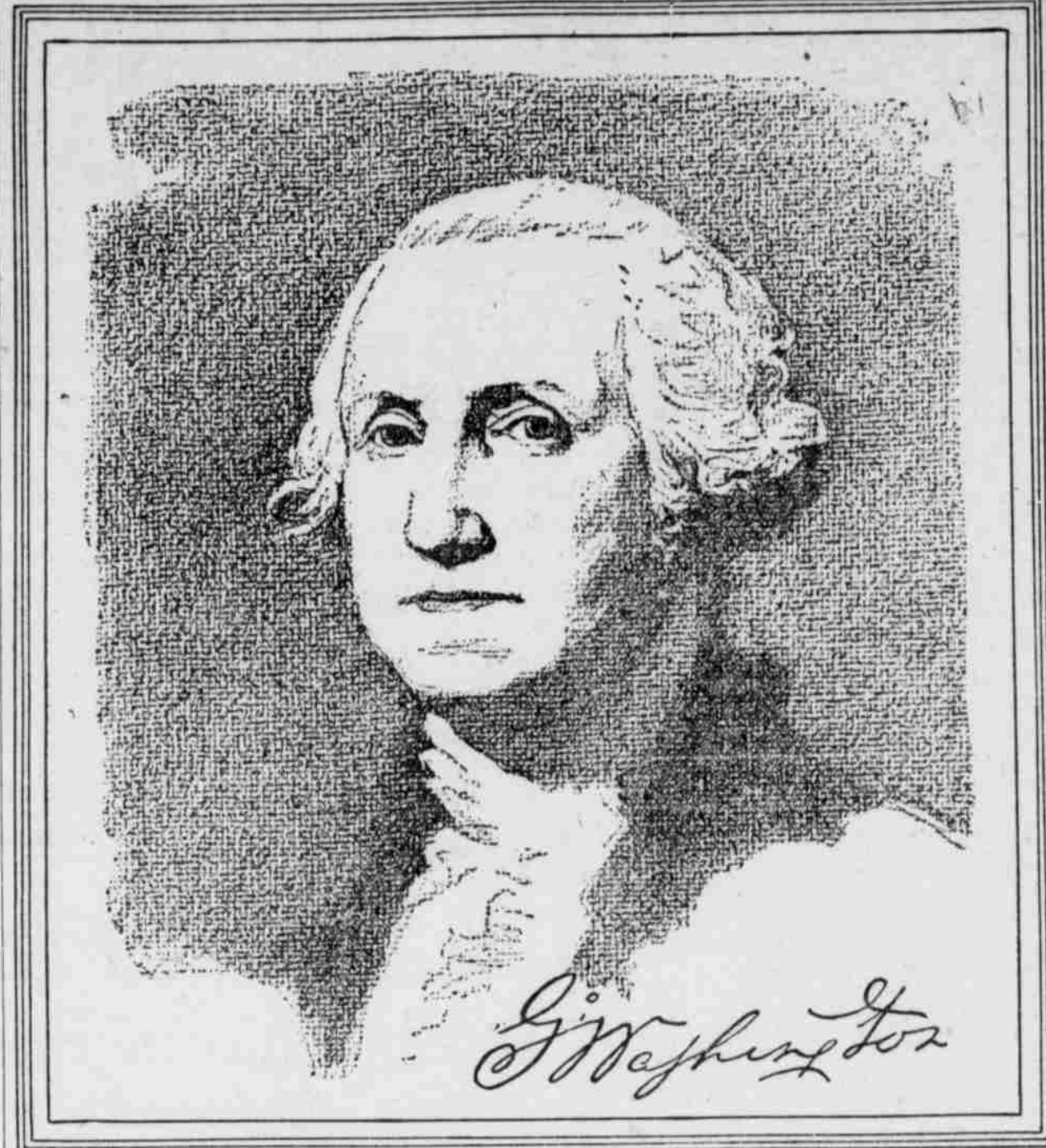
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When gazing on the Great;  
Where neither guilty glory glows,  
Nor despicable state?  
Yes—one—the first—the last—the best—

The Cincinnatus of the West,  
Whom envy dared not hate,  
Bequeath the name of Washington,  
To make men blush there was but one!

—Lord Byron.

## HAS SUFFERED FROM TRADITION

Modern Writer Gives Us New Version of the Character of Washington.

Great Soldier as He Is Universally Acknowledged, He Was Also a Seer—Deathless Champion of the Rights of Humanity.

MORE than any other American statesman, more than any other American, Washington has suffered from tradition, writes John D. Barry in the Washington Times.

In fact, I can't think of any other great man in the history of the world who has been damaged in just the same way, through being made to appear so good.

The reason is that he has been pre-eminently the children's hero. He is a distinguished victim of the deceit we practice on children in the name of education.

Only the very good boys and girls can for the story of Washington and the cherry tree.

The others, the majority, are bored, or amused, or puzzled.

And then there is the saying, dinned into the ears of American childhood, "Washington never told a lie."

It alone alienates vast numbers of children from Washington. In their little hearts it finds no answering echo, no enthusiastic desire for emulation.

For truth telling, much as we love it in children, and much as we labor to graft it on those highly imaginative minds, is often a virtue that develops only with years, related to intelligence and to mature character.

It derives its beauty largely from association with other qualities more sympathetic.

Do Real Damage to Truth. Self-assertive truth-tellers often seem rigid in character. They do great damage to truth by making it seem, not beautiful, as it should be, but hideous.

Even in lands of maturity, to the reputation of Washington there still clings a suggestion of the comic. Thackeray did not help the situation when he introduced the youthful

Washington into "The Virginians" as a highly self-conscious and priggish colonial.

There is a fine chance for a new historian of Washington, one who will bring out the real man.

Owen Wister made a start some years ago, when he published a little book, emphasizing Washington's more human qualities. But the book was too slight to be comprehensive. Mr. Wister may yet write the complete history needed by the world of today.

For today, of all times, the world ought to reflect on the service of Washington in the making of this nation and on the attitude of Washington toward the future of this nation.

Washington a Seer. Since the Spanish war the Farewell Address, once a classic and apparently just about as much alive as most classics, has fallen into disfavor. We don't hear of its being "pointed to with pride" as often as we did.

Perhaps if we do go back to it we shall find that Washington, besides being a soldier and a statesman, was a seer.

And a seer is much more interesting than a little boy that chops down a cherry tree or a man that has never told a lie.

A seer has a way of projecting himself into the future and finding a new life there.

As a prophet Washington is a vital force today. But he is a force that has been consciously and deliberately disregarded.

Washington, the hero of Valley Forge, was essentially a man of peace. He saw that the happiness and security of this country lay, just as the happiness of an individual did, in a policy of noninterference.

And as soon as this country ceased to follow this policy Washington foresaw complications.

On the surface it seems strange that a man whose inheritance and ways of life were aristocratic should be regarded as the father of American democracy.

And to the present-day point of view it is all the more strange when we recall the reproach made against Washington that "the great Virginian held slaves."

But Washington, to be judged fairly, like everyone else, must be considered with reference to his time and surrounding conditions.

Washington deserves little credit for not yielding to the temptations to assert his aristocratic lineage by becoming a tory. He was directly affected by the unfair attitude of the mother country in imposing taxation without representation. What he did was a natural outcome of what he was.

etc., are taken by motion picture companies which exhibit the pictures until they are no longer commercially profitable when they are turned over to the curator of the historical department of the state who preserves them for educational uses. Street scenes in important cities, public buildings, the operation of industrial plants, the Kookuk dam and other aspects of the social and industrial activities of the state are shown in the collection, which includes about 50,000 feet of film. The plan of collecting and pre-

USE FILMS FOR EDUCATION  
Authorities of State of Iowa Have a New Scheme, Which Promises to Be Successful.

By co-operation with the motion picture producers of the state, Iowa maintains a film library which is expected to be an important part in the educational system of the state in years to come. Notable events in Iowa such as the state fair, the annual "1,000,000" stock parade, big football games,

Where he did merit the highest honor was in his rising so magnificently to his responsibilities and opportunities. A man selfish and arrogant might have exacted more for himself, might have striven to establish himself as a permanent power over the nation he had helped to create. But there is no evidence that Washington ever felt such a temptation. Aristocrat as he was and slaveholder, he was all the more extraordinary in being able to turn from the prejudices of his training to a realization of the democratic ideal.

Perhaps we can reach a little clearer understanding of what Washington was and of what he did by placing him in our own time. It was as if, at the present time, a man of distinguished position and of wealth, were to become a leader in the labor movement. For, from the point of view of England, the colonials were humble folk, mainly tillers of the field, workers in small enterprises. To their cause Washington gave dignity, as well as marvelous personal courage.

With his tattered, half-fed, poorly trained troops he defeated the professional soldiers of England and the Hessian mercenaries. He had, of course, the superlative advantage of being sustained by the power of a sublime moral idea, all the more effective because it was opposed by the weakness that goes with self-consciousness and contemptuous superiority.

Really Deserves More Credit. Washington has not been accorded by the world the credit he deserves for his share in establishing democracy as a working force in a nation. We are likely to forget that democracy, while he fought for it, was not accepted by the world as practicable. To a few it was a beautiful theory, an ideal. To the many it was impracticable, a denial of what they regarded as the natural unfitness of human beings in large masses to govern themselves. From France, mainly through Rousseau, had come the great democratic theory. But France had yet to seek its establishment in the blood of the French revolution.

Washington's Birthday. "It's splendid to live so grandly. That long after you are gone, The things you did are remembered, And recounted under the sun, To live so bravely and purely. That a nation stops on its way, And once a year with banner and drum, Keep its thought of your natal day."

All the Difference. It is a small thing to a man whether or not his neighbor be merciful to him; it is life or death to him whether or not he be merciful to his neighbor—George MacDonald.

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failing over themselves trying to get through the doorway at the same time. They had been jabbed in the face with the straw, punched in the back and front with the handle and smashed over the head so fast they couldn't fight back.

Mrs. Cunono suffered the loss of two teeth. A little later he identified a man standing on a nearby corner as one of his assailants. This man, who was arrested, vehemently denied the charge, but he was locked up.

The detectives said that the trio, thinking the real estate man, who owns several buildings, might have money on his person, had tried to hold him up outside his door.

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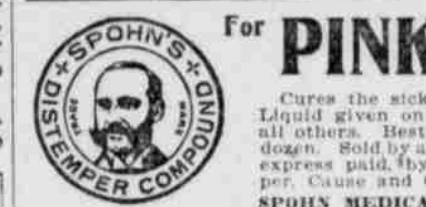
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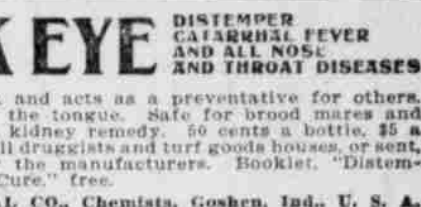
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